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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANTS: Tomaz Dopica Varela  
SERIAL NO.: 10/770,928  
FILED: February 3, 2004  
ART UNIT: 3617  
EXAMINER: Stormer, Russell D.  
FOR: HYDROFORMED AXLE WITH WELDLESS BRAKE  
FLANGE AND BEARING SHOULDER

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 21, 2005, please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

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